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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Serial No.: 09/097,221) Atty. Docket: 16337.1024
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Title: INTEGRATED COMPOSITE) Examiner: Sandra M. Nolan
STRUCTURAL CONDUIT)
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sirs/Mesdames:

In response to the Office Action of July 16, 2002, the
Applicant respectfully requests that the present
application be amended as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 14,
line 13 and ending at page 15, line 2 with the following
replacement paragraph: